

**House Study Bill 574 - Introduced**

HOUSE FILE \_\_\_\_\_  
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE  
ON COMMERCE BILL BY  
CHAIRPERSON SODERBERG)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act requiring advance notification to utilities by the owner  
2 of an alternative energy production facility of construction  
3 or installation of the facility.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 476.6A Alternative energy  
2 production facilities — notification requirements.

3 No later than thirty days prior to commencement of the  
4 construction or installation of an alternative energy  
5 production facility, as defined in section 476.42, the owner  
6 of the facility shall provide written notice to the electric  
7 public utility within whose service territory the facility  
8 is located of the owner's intent to construct or install the  
9 facility, the type of facility to be constructed or installed,  
10 and the date that the facility is anticipated to commence  
11 operation.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill requires the owner of an alternative energy  
14 production facility, as defined in Code section 476.42,  
15 to provide written notice no later than 30 days prior to  
16 commencement of the construction or installation of the  
17 facility to the electric public utility within whose service  
18 territory the facility is located. The notice shall include  
19 the fact that the facility is being constructed or installed,  
20 the type of facility to be constructed or installed, and the  
21 date that the facility is anticipated to commence operation.